

Proposed Bill No. 5441

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LCO No. 1499

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by: REP. O'BRIEN, 24th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING DAMAGE CLAIM PAYMENTS FOR CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 38a-352 of the general statutes be amended to require a
- 2 claim to repair damages to a motor vehicle be paid directly by the
- 3 insurer to the motor vehicle repair shop where such repairs are
- 4 performed if (1) the motor vehicle that is the subject of the claim is not
- 5 insured by the insurer, and (2) the title to such motor vehicle is held by
- 6 a bank or other loan institution.

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure that motor vehicle repair shops receive payment for repairs performed.